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Municipal Market for North Ala-
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by Organization

W. R. McCluskey opened last night's Central Labor Union meeting and presided throughout the session. Delegates were seated from the moulders, boiler makers and blacksmiths and helpers unions. After an executive session, under the head of the good of the order, a number of speeches were made by visiting farmers. These fraternal delegates spoke in optimistic vein, and declared that it was the settled determination of Morgan County farmers to raise "stock, corn, wheat, potatoes and ground peas" to the exclusion of cotton.

D. H. Harwell said that he was unable to accumulate any money as long as he raised cotton as the main crop. He said that for a number of years he has had the fleecy staple only as a "surplus crop."

"Give us a fair price for what we make; we can get along," said Mr. Harwell, a sentiment which was heartily cheered. At the conclusion of this speaker's remarks, George M. Webb made an earnest plea for better marketing facilities for the farmers.

"Some of the merchants," said Mr. Webb, "ought to think a municipal market was a good thing; but I tell you it would help the merchants, it would increase their trade. As fast as the farmers sold their vegetables, they would turn right around and buy more largely from the merchants than they have been doing. The merchants would make more on the farm trade, than what little they would lose in case we had regular market days for farm products." Mr. McCluskey named George M. Webb, H. K. Laatsch and W. M. Thomas as a committee to advocate a municipal market before the city council of Albany.

Interest Manifested
Another one of the farm delegates to speak was P. W. Sparkman, of Hartselle, who said among other things that it was his understanding that the farmers of the county were to cut out cotton altogether until the world supply was greatly decreased. Announcement was made of the farmers meeting to be held next Wednesday and Thursday at Caddo.

A resolution, coming up from the Machinists' Union, was concurred in, in which the proper city authorities were requested to hurry the program for repairing the streets of the city of Albany.

The greatest interest of the evening was aroused over the question of greater facilities for the education of the children, H. K. Laatsch, W. G. Gentry, Wm M. Thomas, Ed Spain, D. C. Jones and others spoke at length in the need of more school buildings. The latter speaker said that he was not impressed with the great need of more room until he found that his own boy would soon be old enough to enter the first grade. The last act of the union was to vote itself a \$25 stock in the Producer's and Laborer's Union store.

LOW MORALS LAID TO SOLONS' DOOR

(International News Service)
LITTLE ROCK, Ark., March 8.—The House of Representatives, after an hour of the stormiest session ever known in the history of the body, yesterday afternoon unanimously adopted an impeachment resolution of Mr. Norfleet, of St. Francis county, against John Wade, a judge of the Pulaski circuit court.

The legislative action followed a charge to a grand jury by the accused judge in which he cast aspersions upon the morality of the legislature, declaring he understood when young women desired legislative appointment or election they were forced to compromise their honor.

BAN ON BEER WITH KICK OFF PALMER RULES

(International News Service)
WASHINGTON, March 8.—The prohibition "lid" was removed on "beer with a kick" for medicinal purposes.

The Department of Justice ruled that physicians are authorized under the Volstead law to prescribe beer when, in their judgment, it will prove beneficial.

The beer ruling was drafted before the new administration came into office and bears the signature of A. Mitchell Palmer, attorney general.

PARTIAL HOLIDAY ON ARMAMENT IS HARDING'S OFFER

By BART CAMPBELL
International News Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Mar. 8.—"Approximate disarmament" will be the proffer of President Warren G. Harding for world peace.

The phrase was carefully chosen by the President as he stood upon the threshold of the main doorway of the White House this morning.

The President stressed the adjective "approximate" with especial emphasis. Batehead, he faced the newspaper correspondents pressing him for a commitment on disarmament.

Republican leaders of Congress were rolling away in well polished limousines from the portico when the President frankly discussed the long conference he had with them. There had been differences of opinion between the Republican leaders with whom he had conferred, he said.

The President made it plain he would not desire the impression should go forth that it was his purpose to consult only a small group of men who are the recognized Republican leaders of Congress. He wanted to sound out sentiment of the full Republican majority of Congress to ascertain the views of other Senators and Congressmen as to what should be done to meet the grave problems confronting the country.

"The conference was only a beginning," the President said. "A beginning in the touch of elbows between the executive and legislative branches of our government in a determined effort to solve the many problems we face. It will lead, I am sure, to good results. It was not determined whether there should be an emergency tariff at the outset of the new Congress or whether the question of revenue revision should be taken up first."

"It is too early now to anticipate what the first steps will be when Congress meets."

ALL LIFE INSURANCE RECORDS BROKEN

The annual report of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company on the business of 1920 shows that the new business placed on the books broke all previous records in the world. Neither the great amount of new insurance taken out, nor the percentage of lapses indicate depression in the business or industrial world. The amount placed in the United States and Canada was \$1,651,950,151 which is a gain of more than two hundred and fifty million dollars, as compared with the previous year.

The number of policies outstanding at the end of the year was 23,893,997 or about one for every five of the population. The number increased in 1920 by 2,129,326. Claims were paid on 312,689 policies, an average of one every 28 seconds for each business day of eight hours.

S. H. Malone is the popular district manager in North Alabama for the Metropolitan. The business of the company in this section has enjoyed rapid growth under his leadership.

Officers Search For Highwaymen
Officers today are searching for the two highwaymen who held up V. S. Jameison, between Third street and the Danville road, early Sunday morning. The victim was relieved of a handsome watch.

MANY PRIZES ARE GIVEN FOR CHARITY PARTY FOR AID OF STARVING KIDDIES

Large Crowds Are Expected at
Event, Many Tickets
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PLANS PRACTICALLY COMPLETED TODAY

Party Will Be Given in Rooms
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Plans today were practically complete for the charity party to be given Thursday and Friday for the benefit of the starving children of Europe. Tickets today were on sale and large crowds were expected.

The party will be given in the rooms of the Albany chamber of commerce, the gentlemen being expected Thursday evening and the ladies the following day.

Prizes have been donated by local merchants as follows:

Rug—Kelley and Hawk.
Silk undershirt—Ory and Cohen.
Bottle Houbigants—Decatur Drug Co.
Walnut candle sticks—McGehee Furniture company.
Boudoir light—Cook Brothers.
Silver teacette—J. A. Nelson.
Silver lemon fork—Stinson Brothers.
13 piece luncheon set—George Williamson.
Pearle beads—Mrs. F. S. Graves.
One month's pass to Princess—H. B. Cagle.
Pryex ware—Sam Frank.
Aluminum ware—Crow and Crow.
Aluminum ware—Schimmel and Hunter.
Flash light—C. A. Moore.
Flash light—J. D. Wyker and son.
Auto accessory—Malone Coal, Grain and Motor Co.
Silk tie—M. E. Woodward.
Silk tie—S. M. Winton.
Silk tie—J. Block.
Gentlemen's kid gloves—Speake, Echols and Speake.
Silk sox—Speake, Echols and Speake.
Silk sox—W. M. Bailey.
Silk sox—Matlocks.
Linen handkerchief—J. A. Buttrey.
Silk shirt—Rahm Clothing company.
Box toilet articles—Dillehay Bros.
Box Azura powder—Albany Drug Co.
Toilet water—S. M. Thompson.
Toilet water—Pruitt-Dillehay.
Box candy—Beason-Cobb Drug Co.
Box candy—Wilder and Ezell.
Box Hershey's chocolate—Brock and Spight.
Box Satin bar candy—North Alabama Grocery Co.
Box candy—E. L. Thomas.
Box stationary—R. B. Graves.
Box rouge—Nungesser Brothers.
Ladies silk hose—A. A. Hardage.
Ladies silk hose—Garnetts.
Brassiers—S. E. Ory.
Crepe de Chine handkerchief—L. Lesser.
Del Monte cherries—J. W. Bailey.
with Mrs. J. E. Wilder, 1201-4th Ave. and Co.
1 lb coffee—J. R. Thomas.
3 lb coffee—Moore Supply Co.
Heinz baked beans—W. R. McGregor.
California peaches—J. D. Thomas.
Sack White Crest flour—Calvin Grocery Co.
Sack Sweet Sixteen flour—A. C. Joiner and Son.
Jar Marmalade—Green Grocery Co.
Order for 5 lb roast—D. R. Smirrell.
Order for 5 lb roast—Boggs Brothers.
Order for 5 lb roast—Marshall and Phillips.
Cash contribution—Sivley & Sandlin.
Mazda light—Alabama Power Co.
Enamelled towel rack—H. Mullen.
Tally cards—E. A. Tillery.
Perfume bottle—Reuther Jewelry Co.

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INDEMNITY OFFENSIVE MOVES INTO GERMANY

OCCUPATION IS CALLED OVERT
ACT BY HUN PROCLAMATION

By NEWTON C. PARKE
International News Service Staff Correspondent

PARIS, March 8.—Allied troops—French, British and Belgian—advanced on the Rhine today and occupied three important industrial and coal mining cities, Dusseldorf, Duisburg and Ruhrort.

Word was received from Cologne at one o'clock this afternoon that the military occupation of the three cities was without incident. The Germans made no resistance although sniping was reported from some districts.

United States troops took no part in the military operations. They remained in their old lines in the Coblenz district.

Dusseldorf was occupied by French, British and Belgian detachments. Duisburg and Ruhrort were taken over by French and Belgian troops. Cavalry, infantry, and air forces all participated.

The allied military advance into the Ruhr district to compel Germany to meet the allied indemnity demands began at dawn today.

Two thousand French troops moved on Dusseldorf to occupy the city. Three river vessels, carrying French soldiers from the French zone of occupation passed Coblenz, headquarters of the American army of occupation, early in the morning. Ten more French troop ships were expected to pass up the Rhine within a few hours.

The occupation of Dusseldorf was completed at 9:50 o'clock. French forces under General Gocher moved upon Duisburg and Ruhrort at 6 a. m., headquarters of the French army of occupation on the Rhine.

General Degoutte has arrived at Neuf on the Rhine front. Gen. Degoutte, who is commander in chief of the French army of occupation, will establish headquarters at Neuf on the Rhine.

There are about 120,000 allied troops on the Rhine, not counting the small American army of occupation.

SWITCHING LINES AT TUSCALOOSA UP TO STATE UTILITY UNIT

(Montgomery Bureau Albany-
Decatur Daily)

MONTGOMERY, March 8.—Answering the citation of the Alabama Public Service Commission, calling upon the L. & N., Alabama Great Southern, Mobile and Ohio and M. & O. Railroad Companies to show cause why they should not extend their switching limits from Tuscaloosa, Ala., to the Alabama Insane Hospital, located near that place, Hon. George W. Jones, general counsel for the L. & N., made objection to such extension before the commission Monday. Mr. Jones maintained that rates charged on freight forwarded to the Insane Hospital via Tuscaloosa, are reasonable and that there is therefore no just and sufficient reason why the L. & N. should extend its switching limits to the hospital.

Miles C. Allgood, commissioner of agriculture, returned Monday from Washington, D. C., where on Thursday morning last, he delivered an address before the Southern Commercial Congress in session in that city. Commissioner Allgood's address which dealt with the question of farm credits and finances, he states, was very graciously received.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Alabama state parson board, which will be held at the state capitol, Tuesday, a large number of petitions are to be considered. Many persons, interested in the petitions of emergency submitted by relatives or friends will be given an opportunity to appear before the board and present any testimony which they may have to submit.

Latest news received at the capitol Tuesday, from Decatur, Ala., was to the effect that the condition of Senator R. L. Huddleston, who has been seriously ill at his home there, with pneumonia for the past week, is slightly improved. It is believed that Senator Huddleston, who has been suffering with an attack of pneumonia, is now out of danger.

S. W. Tate, of Anniston, was appointed Monday by Governor Kirby, to act as judge of the 7th judicial circuit, until such time as Judge A. P. Agee, of the 7th circuit, who is now confined to his bed with an attack of illness, is able to again take over his official duties. The 7th judicial circuit, over which Judge Tate will preside for the time being, is composed of the counties of Calhoun, Cleburne and Talladega.

Verily, the life on a "moonshiner" in the county of Randolph is bad. Word was received at the state capitol Monday, that 17 men convicted for distilling at the last term of the Randolph county circuit court, were being forwarded to the state prison at Wetumpka. Through a peculiar trick of fate, all 17 of the persons convicted drew a sentence of a year and a day in the penitentiary.

Captain Cornelius Whitesey and Lieutenant Yetta B. Samford, of the "Lee Light Infantry, Opelika, were in conference for some time with Adjutant General Moon, Monday, relative to the proposed reorganization of the Opelika Guard Company. Plans are now under way, it is stated, to reorganize this unit as a mounted machine gun company, which will be designated as Company "D", Fourth Alabama Infantry, National Guard.

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DELEGATES LEAVE TO OPERATE TRAINS

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BIRMINGHAM, March 8.—"We will make every effort to run passenger trains on schedule," V. E. Whitaker, superintendent of the Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic railway announced today. "No effort will be made to run freight trains," he said.

Announcement as to when trains will begin running could not be made, he said, but with the numerous men applying for employment the management of the road announced full crews would be employed for the principal passenger trains almost immediately.

No announcement was made as to whether "Rick" Woodard, who took the early Monday mail and passenger train to Lineville and returned late Monday, would make another trip.

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PRESIDENT HARDING'S ADDRESS

The inaugural address of President Harding remains an enigma. Neither home or foreign commentators seem able to explain what he means, to their own satisfaction. There is only one clear passage in the entire speech according to most writers. All agree that Mr. Harding makes it plain that he will lend every aid and support possible to a high tariff, as he makes the flat statement that it is impossible to maintain American standards of living without such a protection from the manufacturers of the old world. Mr. Harding devotes more time to international relations than to any other subject, his obvious intention being to complete the job of destroying sentiment for the Wilsonian League of Nations if possible.

He assumes that a distinct nationality for America and the League covenant provisions are incompatible, a position that will not be granted by the advocates of the league. Mr. Harding's statement, which says in effect that the Democratic administration was headed toward internationalism, will not be accepted by the rank and file of the party, nor taken seriously by the country at large.

The whole address seems to be an appeal to the spirit of nationalism, and very little regard or mention is made of the individual needs of the classes and individuals that make up the nation.

But, of course, definite and concrete proposals, as to needed legislation may be made in special messages to the two houses of Congress. The foreign comment on the message may be summed up in the expression made by one French writer who declared that "the most important part of the address is what is left unsaid."

The German press calls attention to the fact that no mention is made of that country, but adds "this does not mean that the United States is content to see its commerce, its export trade permanently injured through the economic ruin of Germany." The socialistic press of that country says that from the address it is "illusory to assume that America mean to assume an attitude of opposition to the Entente and of support of Germany."

The Westminster Gazette says, referring to the general opposition in the address to every thing Wilsonian:

"Let us not be dismayed because President Harding says in set phrase that America will not do certain things which President Wilson wanted her to do. If she will not do these she will do certain other things of which we may say at least that they do not all conflict with our aims or what we understood as the general aims of the Wilsonian policy."

Signor Gianni, the Italian Financial expert said:

"The allies must look to Germany for the maximum amount of war reparations because the Harding inaugural convinced the allies that they can expect no cancellation of their war debts so far as America is concerned."

In a number of instances the French press expresses great disappointment at Mr. Harding's utterances, but Rene Viviani, Ex-Premier, and the chief spokesman of France in this country during the war says:

"Political polemics count for nothing beside the dominant fact that America, whether Democratic or Republican in politics, is a great nation, possessed of a limitless heart, who lavished aid on our wounded before her powerful hand dealt a death blow to the monster seeking to devour, which monster we now have enchained."

"A humanity producing such men cannot die isolated in ebolism."

Perhaps the eminent Frenchman takes the proper view—"political polemics count for nothing." At any rate words and forms count for little, and the American people will await the performances of Mr. Harding before passing final judgment on his words.

DRAWING THE FIRE

It seems the Montgomery Times printed a feeler, in reference to the candidate of secretary of state, and says that any man who runs against a certain woman candidate, would have nerve and gall, to which Walter Miller, of Tusculumbia, takes issue.

Walter Miller is one of the most popular newspaper men in Alabama and it is generally expected that he will be a candidate for secretary of state. He says:

"I cannot see where it is any cheek or gall for any man to be candidate for secretary of state just simply because a woman is being mentioned as a candidate. . . . I am not sure I will be a candidate, but my inclination now is to be one."

"The Times penned the paragraph referred to by Mr. Miller in a spirit of rallery, and we are sorry if it has in any way given him offense."

"We will say, however, that while we do not deny or question his right to run for any office, that he will find it a hard proposition to beat Miss Offutt for secretary of state."

The Times, being a Montgomery paper, is like many other citizens of that city, and especially "Official Goat Hill," naturally roots to keep the offices within the family."

Once a man is elected to state office and his time expires, he leaves on another job and runs for it, believing in rotating from one to another

will the people tire.

Few people, outside of Montgomery know the lady referred to, but many people all over Alabama know Walter Miller and know that he is one of the cleverest as well as one of the most capable men in the state.—Dothan Eagle.

AN INAUGURAL INNOVATION

In the return to "normalcy," which transpired at noon last Friday, the dispatches from Washington chronicle the following interesting bit of news:

Not a sound came from the crowd except occasional outbursts of applause which broke into the speech. This applause was constantly signaled from the inaugural stand by an enthusiastic official, who banged his foot against the side of the stand a little in advance of the conclusion of Harding's climaxes, so that everybody knew when it was time to begin clapping.

The employment of claquers in the theater is of ancient origin. At the beginning of the nineteenth century the claquers of Paris organized and their employment or non-employment signified the "success" or "failure" of a new piece.

The claquers became specialists. Some were there to laugh; others to weep; others to cry "encore," and all to join in the applause at the signal of their leader.

In the United States we have a sample of the claque system in our college cheer leaders. They direct the yells and the songs of the undergraduates.

But the installation of a claque leader on the inaugural stand to prompt the public when to applaud the address of a President of the United States is, to say the least, something of an innovation.

Such things as "packed galleries" are frequent at political gatherings. But has the inauguration of the President of the United States descended to the plane on which a battle between rival ward politicians is fought?

It would appear that those who had the responsibility for the arrangements of the inauguration held the visitors to the national capital cheaply, or are we to believe that the bulk of those who attended the ceremonies were the paid camp followers of the organization?

It may be that the Republican stage manager came to the conclusion that the average man would be unable to distinguish between the body of President Harding's address and the climaxes. It would be disconcerting to have the public applauding at the wrong time; a situation which only would be equaled by silence.

It is a wise stage manager who knows his star and his public too.—Nashville Tennessean.

Albany will entertain the Alabama Press Association this spring. Albany has adopted an ordinance prohibiting chickens running at large. But we feel sure that these two circumstances are entirely unrelated—Gadsden Evening Journal. Don't be too sure—Albany people are powerful cautious—Guntersville Democrat. Why what brand are these editors drinking anyway? The Twin Cities annually entertain one of the biggest poultry shows in the South and they have a "chicken show" every day.

The great question with the office seeker: a plumb or a lemon.

The efficiency of the laborer must be worthy of his "hire" pay.

Those who are perpetually cynical and disagreeable, as a rule have shot their bolt—and missed.

After all Germany is much better qualified to pay indemnity, than she was to whip the world in 1914.

The former partner of "Gott" is reported to be drawing an income of \$600,000.00 per annum. That amount could and should pay the interest for a few weeks on the 56 billion indemnity assessed against Germany.

If Henry Ford will invent some way to use his hot air to propel automobiles and other high speed machinery—it could possibly be made of service to humanity. Henry's ideas are too much like Henry.

The "Red armies of Russia are being put to rout by the "White" armies of the same country, according to black statements on white paper.

There is quite a good deal of difference between the "bottle scared" veterans and the battle-scarred variety.

Back-slide and the world slides with you. Get religion and you walk almost alone.

Lloyd George declares that he had rather go down in history as the "solver" of the Irish question, than as the winner of the great war. His spunk is glorious; but his success is doubtful.

"Thousands for garden seed, but not a cent for Muscle Shoals"—House motto.

Albany is preparing to give the members of the Alabama Press Association a most royal welcome and a corking good time at its forthcoming meeting there in May. We hope to be able to attend, and trust that every editor in Alabama will make it a point to be on hand, if he has to do like us—borrow the money for railroad and hotel.—Andalusia Star.

"The Alapressa," published by the Alabama Press Association has made its appearance from Birmingham. The next meeting of the Association will be held in Albany-Decatur May 5 and 6. Let's Go, means that the boys will be there and it goes without saying that Bro. Shelton and the other quill pushers of the Twin Cities will make a pleasant occasion long to be remembered.—Huntsville Daily Times.

The "moral leadership without alliances" is a mighty fine dream of Mr. Harding, but one which will hardly be realized.

Sox Sorber May Return to Ball Field This Year

"Sox" Sorber, chief of the Albany fire department, has under consideration an offer to return to the baseball diamond this season. He received a letter from the officers of the Marshall E. P. league club offering him a position as field captain, or player manager of the team.

Mr. Sorber has not determined whether or not he will accept the offer. The salary offered was \$300 per month, it was stated.

Bonus Bill Will Be Re-Introduced

(International News Service)
WASHINGTON, March 8.—Legislation providing for a bonus to veterans of the world war will be introduced in the House on the day it reconvenes, Representative Fordney, Republican, chairman of the ways and means committee, announced today. The new Fordney bill will be practically the same as the one passed previously except that the tax and appropriation features will be eliminated.

Decatur B. M. in Lead of Circuit

The Decatur Business Men today were leading in the "Y" bowling tournament in individual games, according to the following announced standing:

Decatur Business Men	19	2	910
Machinists	20	4	838
Blacksmiths	14	4	777
Albany Business Men	14	4	766
A. T. and A. Co.	7	17	291
A-D Daily	5	13	277
Car Department	1	14	066
Kiwanis Club	1	17	055

Income Tax Agent In Valley Section

Announcement was made today by John B. Danford, chief field deputy, that Edward McGregor, deputy collector, will be in North Alabama for the next two weeks, aiding citizens in making out their income tax returns.

His itinerary follows:
Scottsboro, March 8.
Albany, March 9-10.
Hartselle, March 11.
Decatur, March 12-14-15.

BIRTH
Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Day a son, March 5th.

HAD TERRIBLE COUGH IN BED 3 YEARS

In 3 weeks she was out on the streets again, feeling fine.

"In 1916, I had a gripe, followed by pneumonia which left me with a severe cough. I coughed constantly from morning till night and then would wake up in the night and cough and choke. I lost flesh and my appetite was very poor. I doctored with a specialist for over a year, and had several other doctors, but got worse instead of better. Last winter I was bed-ridden, had chills and fever and got so weak I could not sit up in bed 5 minutes without fainting. "In February, 1919, I started on Milks Emulsion. I was then in bed, but in 3 weeks, I was able to be up and on the streets. Just think of it! For 3 years I have been a physical wreck, in bed most of the time, and Milks Emulsion had brought me out in wonderful shape. My friends all tell me how well I'm looking, for they didn't expect me to be living today. "Thank you, M. H. Russell, 1009 Opelousas St., Algiers, La."

In thousands of just such cases, Milks Emulsion has brought the same wonderful relief and improvement. It costs nothing to try.

Milks Emulsion is a pleasant, nutritive food and a corrective medicine. It restores healthy, natural bowel action, promotes appetite and puts the digestive organs in shape to assimilate food. It helps build up flesh and strength, and is a powerful aid in resisting and repairing the effects of wasting diseases. Chronic stomach trouble and constipation are speedily relieved.

This is the only solid emulsion made, and so palatable that it is eaten with a spoon like ice cream.

No matter how severe your case, you are urged to try Milks Emulsion under this guarantee—Take six bottles home with you, use it according to directions and if not satisfied with the results, your money will be promptly refunded. Price 75c and \$1.50 per bottle. The Milks Emulsion Co., Terre Haute, Ind. Sold by druggists everywhere.

Sold by Thompson's Drug Store, Albany, and Beason-Cobb Drug Co., Decatur, and all first class druggists.

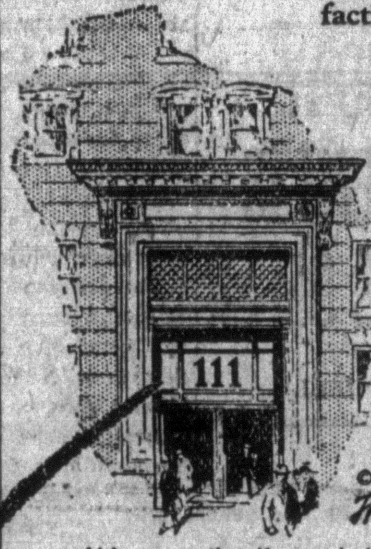
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IT is not often that a merchant can seize an opportunity such as this. Such opportunities are rare. After the Armistice, the rate of exchange prohibited the exportation of certain fine types of leaf tobacco. We purchased this tobacco and are using it in the manufacture of "111" (ONE-ELEVEN) CIGARETTES, producing a new product—a quality product—and one that is giving exceptional satisfaction, for these types of tobacco have never previously been used in the manufacture of cigarettes selling in this country.



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Guaranteed by
The American Tobacco Co.

ONE-ELEVEN (111) 5th Avenue, New York, is the home office of The American Tobacco Company. The American Tobacco Company has been serving the public with fine tobaccos for many years. It commands the experience and skill to prepare and know good cigarettes. Do you think, Sir—The American Tobacco Company would give the address of its home office as the name of a new cigarette if it did not believe that the blend would please you?

Paying for the Home

"Up to two years ago my money all went to doctors and medicine for my stomach trouble. I was constantly filled with gas and no medicine helped me permanently until I tried a bottle of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy at that time with excellent results. Now I am using my money in paying for a home." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.

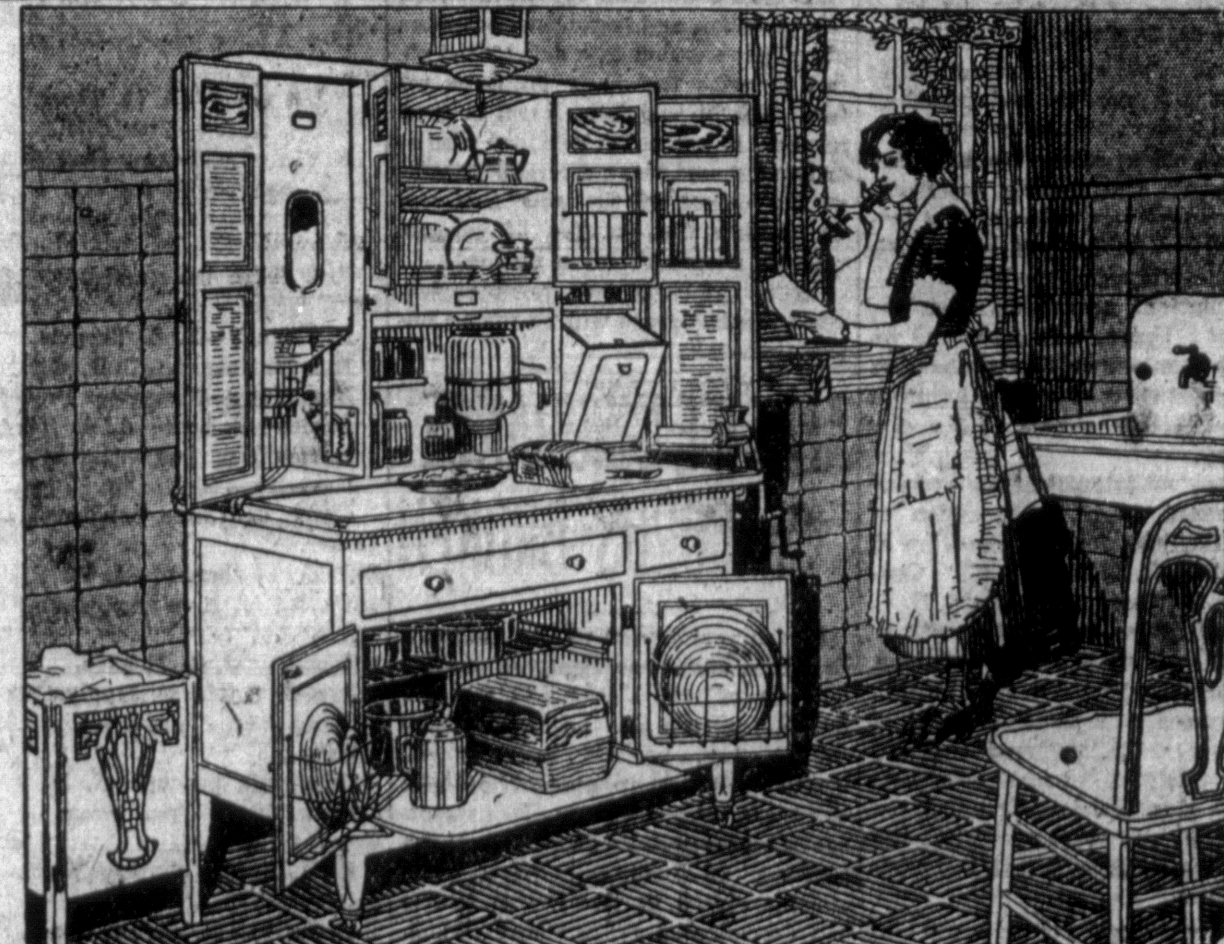
S. M. Thompson in Albany, Owl Drug Co. in Decatur and druggists everywhere—Adv.

Statement of Condition of THE TENNESSEE VALLEY BANK

DECEMBER 31, 1920

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....\$3,040,971.61	Capital Stock.....\$ 150,000.00
Demand Loans.....168,766.07	Surplus and Profits.....184,110.97
Bonds and Stocks.....220,564.50	Reserve for depreciation.....16,356.63
Overdrafts.....716.94	Bills Payable.....652,500.00
Banking Houses (16).....73,500.04	Reductions.....36,000.00
Furniture & Fixtures (16).....30,000.04	Deposits.....3,025,165.37
Real Estate.....9,792.54	
Cash and due from banks.....519,821.23	
	\$4,064,132.86

The above statement does not include statement of the Peoples' Bank, Sheffield, Ala., which was merged with this Bank after close of business December 31, 1920.



"---and Betty---just think---a beautiful Sellers!"

The gift of a Sellers Kitchen Cabinet brings lasting pleasure. For it means easier work, more kitchen comfort and convenience, through the years. Every woman dreams some day of owning a Sellers.

Women recognize in the Sellers, with its 15 Famous Features, the absolute pinnacle of kitchen cabinet convenience. It has important improvements and refinements combined in no other cabinet.

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Come in and let us show you the Automatic Lowering Flour Bin, the Automatic Base Shelf Extender, and the 13 other famous features which mean so much in lightening kitchen work and shortening kitchen hours.

You'll be interested in seeing just how the Sellers would fit into your daily work. Never mind whether you intend to buy just now, or not—come in anyway and let us show you what real kitchen comfort and convenience are.

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FOR SALE

Choice Porto Rica Sweet Potato Slips for April delivery \$3.00 per m. For May delivery \$2.50 per m. Orders filled in order received. C. L. Buck, 916 Jackson street, Albany, Ala. 7-3t

FOR SALE—A pen of Barred Plymouth Rocks, also white Leghorns for hatching. Call 274J. Albany.

FOR SALE—1920 Model 5 Passenger Ford Touring Car, good condition. Will sell cheap for cash. See C. H. Witt at Green Grocery. 8-3t

FOR SALE—Nine White Leghorn hens and one cockerel; price \$1.50 each; have to sell on account of chicken law and for want space. Mrs. W. T. Seamons, 239 Johnston street; phone Albany 393W. 7-3t

FOR SALE—One acre of ground, out of city limits, on state highway. 5-room house, barn and well. A. A. Oden. For further particulars see M. A. Andrew, Albany, R. 2. 7-3t

FOR SALE—Five Room House 210, East Church. Desirable location. Call Decatur 288. 2-6t

Call Wilder Place, Phone Albany 124, for Heater and Stove Wood. m3-1yr

FOR SALE—Cash or Credit—One used Ford Coupelet. Dr. F. L. Chensault. 1t

We have for sale quite a lot of No. 1 oak boards, one inch thick, various widths and lengths. Just the thing for fences and out-buildings. Decatur Box & Basket Co. S30-t

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—1 large, well furnished, upstairs, front bed room, prefer gentlemen. Close in convenient to meals. Phone Albany 407 W. 8-3t

FOR RENT—Two good stables, good feed rooms. All under lock, apply 109 Walnut street Phone Decatur 123. 8-6t

WANTED—you to know Aunt Mary Points, colored, 521 East Cherry street, will wash and stretch all kinds of curtains. Work guaranteed. 4-6t

FOR RENT—Two or three well furnished rooms for light housekeeping price reasonable 1119 5th. Ave. S. 8-6t

WANTED

WANTED—your Vulcanizing, if scientific tire and tube repairing is what you want, I have it, eleven years of factory, practical experience. All work is absolutely guaranteed. J. A. Carlie, The Tire Expert at Webb's Garage, Church Street, Phone 25 Decatur, Ala. 8-6t

WANTED—A cook. Must give references. Call 160 or apply 404 La Fayette street. 8-1t

WANTED—Room and board with private family. Want private room, and prefer close in location. Phone Albany 394. 8-3t

Experienced Stenographer wants position. Have had experience in both stenographer and office work. Write "C" Albany-Decatur Daily. 7-3t

WANTED—You to have the \$150 musical instrument. Keep your coupons ready. Coupons given with everything you buy. Albany-Decatur Commission & Salvage Co. 7-3t

WANTED—Experienced typist temporary—may lead to permanent position. Morgan County Abstract Co., Decatur, Ala. 7-3t

WANTED—One or two young men to room and board in private home. All conveniences. Reference exchanged. Phone Albany 472. 5-3t

WANTED YOUR VULCANIZING from Puncture to Retreads. No job to large or small, all work guaranteed to out wear tire or tube. Just ring Decatur 25, Webb's Garage. J. A. Carlie, the Expert Tire Vulcanizer. m1-6t

SALESMAN—To sell Advertising and Specialties in Decatur and vicinity. Every live merchant is open for Specialty to stimulate and increase sales. Highest Commission paid promptly. Start work immediately. Quick Sales. The Geo. Jung Co., Cincinnati, O. F28-m26

WANTED—To sell you a new Perfection Oil Stove or range the best on Earth, no smoke from the Perfection. Cook while you pay. Talley Furniture Co. 2613t

WANTED TO RENT—A cottage or bungalow, 4 or 5 rooms, with modern conveniences; references if desired. Address T, care of Daily. 1t

LOST AND FOUND

TAKEN UP—Black dehorned cow, with leather halter, owner may have same upon payment of advertising, apply 339 Sherman St. 8-3t

STRAYED—Black Jersey Cow, dehorned. Had on leather halter. Notify 594W. Albany. B. D. Wright. 8-3t

LOST—Reward for the return of the Gold cuff buttons sent to Quality Laundry. With initials J. G. N. Return to John G. Namie, 510 Vine St., Phone 239. 5-3t

DAILY WANT COLUMN

LOANS, INSURANCE, ETC.

10%—Ten year installments—loan on good dwellings. Allison & Woods. 10-4t

MISCELLANEOUS

McGUTHRA & NORWOOD, Cabinet Works. Repairing, refinishing, crating and upholstering. Painting and paper hanging. Cor. Vie ad Sycamore sts., Decatur. 6-6t

HEMSTITCHING, 7½ cents per yard; accordion and knife pleating, buttons covered to order, dressmaking. Mrs. J. A. Collier, 1021 South Garden street, Columbia, Tenn. 8-6t

RHINELANDOR REFRIGERATORS at Carrell Bros., Bank St., Phone 157 Decatur. 1t

See our Stoves and Ranges before you buy. Dinsmore Bros. 8-3t

We do all kinds of crating for household goods. Also furniture repairing. Call 397 Albany. Dinsmore Brothers. N4-t

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BICYCLES and accessories, gun and lock smith, pistols, guns and cartridges. N. W. GEORGE Phone Decatur 463 J 115 LaFayette Street

Twin City Tire Co. Tires and Vulcanizing Motor Oils and Gasoline 410-nd Avenue Phone No. 167 Albany, Ala.

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Famous pain and ache Liniment. kept handy, brings warming, gratifying relief

RHEUMATIC twinges ease up soon. So do stiff joints, lame back, neuralgia, overtaxed muscles, and those pains from weather exposure, too—they don't fight long against the counter-irritation that Sloan's Liniment produces. Always keep this old family friend handy for instant use—a little penetrates without rubbing, leaving no skin stains, muck, or clogged pores. Its very odor—healthy and stimulating—suggests the good it will do. All druggists. Three sizes—35c, 70c, \$1.40. Largest size is most economical.

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KI-RO-PRAC-TOR M. B. WOOTON City National Bank Bldg., Decatur Eyster Bldg., Albany Phone: Albany 183—Decatur 60 Decatur office hours—8:30 to 12 a. m. Albany office hours—1:30 to 5:30 p. m.

For Sale Cheap

House at 1111 Fourth Ave., South.
House at 1113 Fourth Ave., South.
Cheaper than you can build them.
Will be at Hotel Echols on March 8th and 9th—Ask for
WILL D. SCHAEFFER

Lawrence School Teacher Will Wed

MOULTON, Ala., March 8.—Special—The primary children of Mount Hope school, one of the largest schools in Lawrence County, are getting acquainted with a new teacher this week. Miss Ruth Wilson, who has been in the school for the year resigned last Friday and her place has been filled by Miss Mann from Kentucky. The announcement of the approaching marriage of Miss Wilson to Russell Preuit, a prominent young farmer of Town Creek, has been made. Miss Wilson is from Tennessee and one of the many teachers from that state who has been teaching in Lawrence county school rooms this session and for the past few sessions. Miss Wilson was the primary teacher in the Mount Hope school two years ago but last year taught at Town Creek.

Scholarships Are Offered by U. D. C.

In addition to the sixty scholarships already advertised through the state press, the United Daughters of the Confederacy announce full scholarships, covering board and tuition, at Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, New York, and Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Va. Tuition scholarships are offered at the University of Virginia and South Carolina Medical College. Applications for these scholarships should be sent to Mrs. L. M. Bashinsky, Chairman Alabama Division U. D. C. Scholarship Committee, Troy, Ala.

Joe Wheeler Chapter will meet with Mrs. E. D. Whitman Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Members were requested to bring receipts for Mrs. Bashinsky's cook book.

Machinists Again Are the Winners

The Machinists again were victorious over the American Telephone and Telephone company in last night's "Y" bowling tournament.

The scores follow:

Machinists		
Yarbrough	131	94 123
Karter	132	108 124
Sittason	103	100 88
McCauley	138	148 161
American T. and T. Co.		
Thomason	117	136 112
Johnson	88	119 121
Fitzgerald	89	115 97

SENDS HIS SILK SHIRTS 3,300 MILES TO BE LAUNDERED

(International News Service) **LOS ANGELES, March 8.**—Thirty-three hundred miles to the laundry. Forty or more silk shirts—ten coming, ten going, ten in the wash and ten on hand to wear.

That, in brief, is the programme followed by D. M. Dobbs, a hotel guest here, when he desires to have his shirts laundered.

It had the baggage man at the hotel guessing. Why should a man send his laundry 3,300 miles to be washed? Every week a package went out and every week one came back.

"I own the laundry at New Haven, Conn., where the shirts are sent," explained Mr. Dobbs. "When the shirts come back I know the quality of the work that has been done, if things are being kept up to standard at home. It takes a laundryman to read a history in a clean shirt."

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT John L. Lille Deceased, Estate of.—Probate Court, Morgan County. Letters of administration upon the estate of said decedent having been granted to the undersigned on the 5th day of March 1921 by the Hon. L. P. Troup, Judge of the Probate Court of Morgan County, notice is hereby given, that all persons having claims against said estate will be required to present the same within the time allowed by the law, or that the same will be barred.

W. F. Boswell, Administrator m5-12-19

COTTON MARKET TONE IS EASIER

(International News Service) **NEW YORK, March 8.**—Weak cables from Liverpool caused an easier undertone at the start at the cotton market today, first prices being 7 to 34 points net lower. Wall street and loom traders were sellers early while spot firms bought. About 17 notices were in circulation. Later the market rallied on support from Liverpool and New Orleans and at the end of the first 15 minutes active positions were about 13 points net lower. Private cables from Liverpool said the market there had been unsettled owing to political developments and American selling. The news from Europe restricted business.

Morgan's Boys Get Ready for Work

MEMBERSHIP OF CLUB NOW EXCEEDS 150 BOYS

AUBURN.—Just as the farmers are now getting ready for their 1921 crops, Morgan county farm boys are getting ready for their 1921 club work, according to County Agent W. G. Johnson.

With the assistance of State Club Leader Jas. L. Herron, Mr. Johnston has just organized clubs in six communities with a membership of 150. These communities are Lebanon, Falkville, Danville, Florette, Ryan's Cross Roads, and Winton.

Do you have spells of dizziness when everything turns black before the eyes? These are symptoms of torpid liver and a clogged condition of the bowels. Take Prickly Ash Bitters and get rid of the misery. It is a man's remedy for correcting such disorders. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Sold by all druggists.—Adv.

TO RELIEVE CATARRHAL DEAFNESS AND HEAD NOISES

If you have Catarrhal Deafness or are hard of hearing or have head noises, go to your druggist and get 1 ounce of Farmit (double strength), and add to it ¼ pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar. Take one tablespoonful four times a day. This will often bring quick relief from the distressing head noises. Clogged nostrils should open, breathing become easy and the mucus stop dropping into the throat. It is easy to prepare, costs little and is pleasant to take. Anyone who has Catarrhal Deafness or head noises should give this prescription a trial.—Adv.

Lancaster, Ua., is one of the largest tobacco markets in the country.

The origin of lace is unknown, but it is of great antiquity.

Albany Man's Lucky Find

Will Interest Readers of the Albany-Decatur Daily

Those having the misfortune to suffer from backache, urinary disorders, gravel, dropsical swellings, rheumatic pains, or other kidney and bladder disorders, will read with gratification this encouraging statement by an Albany man.

L. C. Harrison, cashier, Churchill Compress, 451 Grant street, says: "I have found Doan's Kidney Pills to be a very satisfactory medicine and I am glad of the opportunity to endorse them. I had been suffering from a lame and painful back for some time and my kidneys acted irregularly, too. I read about Doan's Kidney Pills being so good and I got a box and used them as directed. In a short time they entirely rid me of the trouble."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Harrison had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

For the serious diseases that attack the kidneys, Prickly Ash Bitters is a remedy of merit. It relieves backache, dizziness, persistent headache, loss of strength and nervous weakness; symptoms which indicate kidney trouble. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Sold by all druggists.—Adv.

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METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

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HALEY FISK, President

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Business Statement, December 31, 1920

Assets	\$980,913,087.17
Larger than those of any other Company in the World.	
Increase in Assets during 1920	\$116,091,262.62
Larger than that of any other Company in the World.	
Liabilities	\$947,465,234.24
Surplus	\$33,447,852.93
Ordinary (annual premium) Life Insurance paid for in 1920	\$1,062,389,920
More than has ever been placed in one year by any Company in the World.	
Industrial weekly premium) Insurance paid for in 1920	\$589,560,231
More than has ever been placed in one year by any Company in the World.	
Total Insurance placed and paid for in 1920	\$1,651,950,151
The largest amount placed in one year by any Company in the World.	
Gain in Insurance in Force in 1920	\$1,036,360,080
More than has ever been gained in one year by any Company in the World.	
The Company GAINED more insurance in force both in 1919 and in 1920 than any other Company WROTE.	
Total Amount of Outstanding Insurance	\$6,380,012,514
Larger than that of any other Company in the World.	
Number of Policies in Force December 31, 1920	23,899,997
Larger than that of any other Company in America.	
Gain in Number of Outstanding Policies	2,129,326
More than any Company in the World has ever gained in one year.	
Number of Claims paid in 1920	312,689
Averaging one claim paid for every 28 seconds of each business day of 8 hours.	
Amount paid to Policy-holders in 1920	\$81,257,393.70
Payments to policy-holders averaged \$556.86 a minute of each business day of 8 hours.	
Reduction in general mortality at ages 1 to 74 in 9 years	22.7 per cent
Typhoid reduction, 72 per cent; Tuberculosis, 40 per cent; Heart disease over 19 per cent; Bright's disease, nearly 27 per cent; Infectious diseases of children, over 28 per cent.	
In general reduction and for each principal cause of death this is far greater than that shown by statistics of the Registration Area of the United States.	
Death Rate for 1920 on the Industrial business lowest in history of Company.	
Dividends declared payable in 1921, nearly	\$11,000,000
Metropolitan Nurses made 1,625,271 visits in 1920, free of charge to sick Industrial Policy-holders, including 14,667 visits to persons insured under Group policies.	
Metropolitan men distributed over Eighteen Millions of pieces of literature on health—	
Bringing the total distribution to over 213,000,000 exclusive of Company's health magazine, of which over 18,000,000 are annually distributed.	

S. H. MALONE, Superintendent, 621½ Second Avenue

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Day Letter	CL	Day Letter	CL
Night Message	NL	Night Message	NL
Night Letter	NL	Night Letter	NL

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BIRMINGHAM, ALA., MAR. 7, 1921

MR. CAGLE,

Mgr. Princess Theater, Albany, Ala.

I feel it a pleasure and duty to inform you that Ralph Dunbar's Mikado Opera Company played here tonight to a large and representative audience, gave one of the finest performances of The Mikado have ever heard or witnessed in my forty years of theatrical experience. The singing and rendition by the chorus and principals of their wonder comique opera was inspiring and enjoyed immensely by the audience.

R. H. DOUGLAS,

Manager, Jefferson Theater

**Elder Crawford
Highly Honored**

At the close of the sermon of Rev. F. A. Peake, pastor of the Westside Presbyterian church, at Sunday night's service, Rev. Peake paid a deserved tribute to Elder B. Crawford, one of the founders of the church, and presented an enlarged engraving of Mr. Crawford to the congregation. A large attendance was reported at this service.

The Lick telescope was first used in 1888.

**STRIKERS HOMES
ARE BOMBARDED**

(International News Service)
LONDON, March 8.—Several hundred persons were killed at Moscow when Soviet artillery, massed in the hills near the city, bombarded the workers' houses, said a Central News dispatch from Helsinki this afternoon.

In addition large numbers were wounded. The bombardment followed the declaration of a general strike by the workers to enforce their demands for a constitutional assembly. The strikers at Moscow are reported to number over 100,000.

**Panama's Reply to
U. S. Note Awaited**

WASHINGTON, March 8.—The Republic of Panama is expected to make a formal reply today to the note of the United States demanding that hostilities with Costa Rica cease, it was announced at the State Department today. The latter has received several informal cables from Panama, it was said, but no intimation was given as to the contents of these in advance of the formal reply.

**Rick Woodward
Operates Engine
On A. B. A. Line**

(International News Service)
BIRMINGHAM, March 8.—"Rick" Woodward, millinaire iron manufacturer and baseball magnate of Birmingham, was the engineer on the only train operated today by the Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic railway, which has been tied up over 48 hours by a walk-out of its employees, fighting a wage decrease.

Woodward, chairman of the board of directors of the Woodward Iron company and an old time engineer, volunteered his services to Receiver

**JACKSON COUNTY
QUIET FOLLOWING
NIGHT OUTBREAK
DISPERSING MOB**

(International News Service)
SCOTTSBORO, Ala., March 8. Quietness prevailed today in the troubled sections of Jackson county, following an attempt last night by a mob estimated at 200, formed at Widows Bar, a government project, for the purpose of mobbing a prominent land owner in this section.

The crowd was dispersed by a posse formed at Stevenson and augmented by a number of state law enforcement officers. A few shots were fired when the authorities intercepted the mob, en route to the land owners home, but no injuries are reported.

Law enforcement officers remained in the troubled sections which are about 15 miles distant from Scottsboro in the northern part of the county.

Further trouble is not expected in the vicinity as vigilance committees have been formed in all communities and these, with the law enforcement officers there, will be able to thoroughly cope with the situation, authorities say.

**Prayer Meetings
Held This Week**

The Community prayer meeting of the Central Baptist Church for Monday evening was held at the home of Mrs. J. W. Pipkin, 603 Grant St., last night and was largely attended and very interesting. It was led by W. E. Sively.

Other meetings of the week are to be held as follows: Tuesday night, the Danville road, early Sunday morning, J. H. Green, leader; Wednesday, at the Church, J. W. Gibson, leader; Thursday, with Mrs. C. T. Sewell, 407 W. Moulton, W. A. Montgomery, leader; Friday, with Mrs. Ed Carter, 702-5th Ave. W., J. G. McCluskey, leader.

Services begin at 7:30 each evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all those interested in the revival meetings which begin next week at the church.

Sugg, who notified him to be ready to handle Number 22, leaving Birmingham for Lineville at 6:30 this morning.

HOME DAMAGED
The home of G. E. Strickland, 217 East Pond street, was slightly damaged by fire on the roof. The mango is considered one of the best fruits in India.

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Lard, 50 lb. tin, per lb.	12½c
White Meat, per hundred pounds	\$13.00
Fancy Pea Berry Coffee, per lb.	19c
Fancy Burt Oats, per bushel	82½c
Fancy Red Rust Proof Oats	77½c
Fancy Onion Sets, per gallon	17½c
English Peas, all kinds, per lb.	20c
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Cadet, Mounted, Charges Into a Car; Leg Broken

(Stanton News Leader)

Rounding a curve near Gypsy Hill park yesterday afternoon with his horse at a wild gallop, Cadet Sanders A. Cortner of Stanton Military Academy charged into a Ford automobile that appeared suddenly at the turn in the road and suffered a fearfully angled leg that may have to be amputated.

The cadet was one of a party of four or five who had hired horses for Monday half-holiday ride. His mount got out of control, and when he automobile loomed up at the curve, he was unable to swerve the animal in time to avoid the accident. The young man's right leg was jammed with terrific force against the windshield upright, and the momentum of the horse was such that he was carried on beyond the Ford, on which was left lesh from the calf of his leg. A piece of bone was torn entirely out of the limb, and the flesh was fearfully lacerated.

Cadet Cortner was taken at once to the S. M. A. hospital in the Ford with which he had collided. He was in the operating table for two hours, with four doctors in attendance, and it was found that both the tibia and phibula bones were broken, and that a portion of one bone was entirely gone.

Will Be Crippled

After the operation, Colonel W. J. Phelps, head of the S. M. A. medical department, stated that it may be necessary to amputate the cadet's leg below the knee, and that even if this does not prove necessary, the young man will never regain complete use of the limb. Amputation is entirely prebominant until further developments. Colonel Phelps described the fracture as a comminuted (shattered) break, and one of the worst that he had ever seen.

Cadet Cortner bore up well under the ordeal and after the operation did not seem in great pain. He was cheerful, and said that the accident was no one's fault and could not have been avoided. He is from Decatur, Ala., and his parents were immediately notified.

The occupants of the Ford were not known by the S. M. A. authorities who did not obtain their names. They are thought to have been county people.

Some of the cadets with Cadet Cortner caught his horse after the accident, Cortner having fallen just after the animal charged into and past the Ford. The horse was practically unhurt.

RAISE HUGE FUND FOR CAMPAIGN TO PUT CORSETS BACK ON WOMEN

(International News Service)

PARIS, March 8.—A \$100,000 campaign fund has been raised by French corset manufacturers in an effort to bring corsets back into favor, it was announced today by representatives of Farey and Oppenheim, one of the largest corset manufacturers in France. English and American manufacturers will be asked to contribute on the ground that both England and America derive their fashions from France and that manufacturers in these countries will benefit by the return of the corset to favor.

"We intend to spend part of our fund to demonstrate that the corset is really a sensible woman's help," said the chairman of Farey and Oppenheim. "At the same time we are negotiating with some of the big Paris dressmakers to induce them to create styles that will make the wearing of corsets indispensable. A number of them have promised support."

Most of the Paris dressmakers believe that the \$100,000 will be wasted. "Women are getting away from the corset and will never go back to it—at least, extensively," said M. Peron, who has an establishment on the Rue de la Paix. "Nowadays women want to feel comfortable, and how can they with corsets. Furthermore, everyone lances in these days. How can a woman fox trot if she is bound up in stays?"

Sanders Cortner, young son of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Cortner, who was seriously injured at Stanton Military Academy last week, today was still improving. A bone specialist from Mayo Brothers has gone to the bedside of the young man to take charge of the case. Young Cortner's leg was badly injured.

Additional details of the accident, received here today, were that Mr. Cortner was horseback riding when his horse shied at a passing automobile, hurling the young rider through the windshield of the machine.

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Remains Are Taken to Pulaski, Tenn.

Mrs. Lettie Whitlock, of Aspen Hill, Tenn., died at the Benevolent Hospital on yesterday, aged 42 years. She is survived by her husband W. A. Whitlock, who was with her when the end came, and several sons, among them W. N. Whitlock of Albany. The remains were shipped to Pulaski on an early train this morning.

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NEW JOURNALISM
COURSE FOR WOMEN

(International News Service)
MADISON, Wis., March 8.—
Newspaper and magazine departments

of interest to women, the first course of the kind to be given in any school of journalism, has been introduced at the University of Wisconsin by Mrs. Genevieve Jackson Boughner, an experienced newspaper woman.

PRINCESS—TOMORROW

The Master Stroke of a Master Producer—Ralph Dunbar's Revival of the

MIKADO



Girls ensemble from Ralph Dunbar's elaborate revival of "The Mikado"

"ENQUIRER," CINCINNATI

Will the present generation of theater-goers support opera? The question was affirmatively answered by satisfied audiences which attended the performance of Ralph Dunbar's revival of "The Mikado" at the Grand Opera House.

In an educational way, this revival is of inestimable value. If America is to progress musically and take its rightful place among the nations of the world as a people who love the best in musical art, nothing will answer quite as well as the frequent presentation of such works as Ralph Dunbar is giving to the stage today. Young folks—even children—may attend such performances without fear of a jolt to the sensibilities. No other form of entertainment is quite so wholesome, quite so invigorating, so educational, so essentially worth while. More power to Ralph Dunbar!

"THE TIMES," LOUISVILLE

All the residents, officials and hangers-on in Titipu were in fine fettle last night. And the fortunate audience of first-nighters at Macaulay's enjoyed a presentation of "The Mikado" the equal of which it has not been Louisville's fortune to see and hear for many a year. Such voices as Ralph Dunbar has chosen to carry out the classic notes of Sir Arthur Sullivan and the immortal lines of William S. Gilbert are worthy—which, after all, is the true test. Stars and divas may come and go, but the music and the libretto will remain forever. No interpolation nor "modern improvement" is needed. And it may be said, to the credit of Mr. Dunbar's excellent company, little has been deemed necessary.

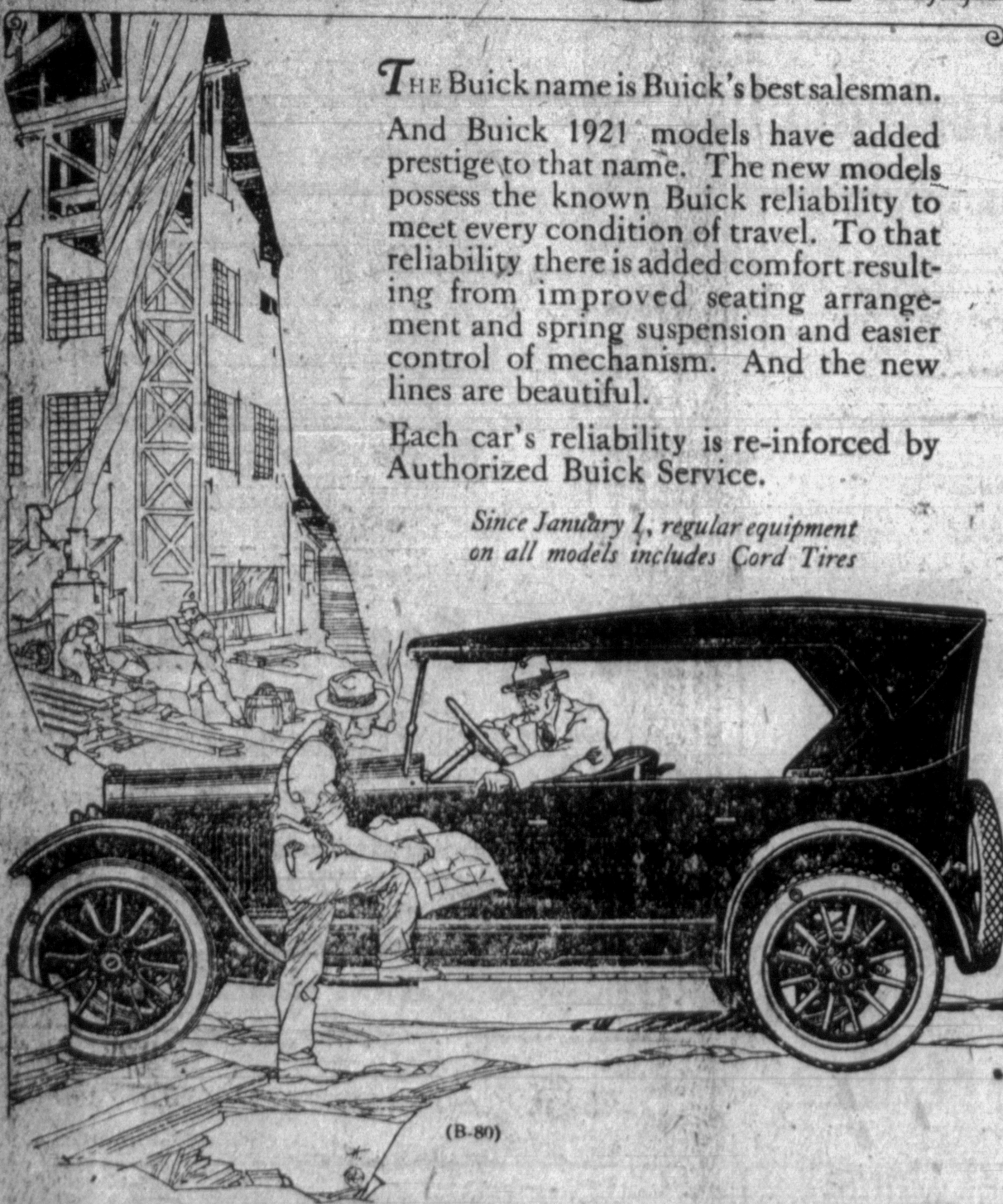
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Such productions as offered by Ralph Dunbar at the Grand last night in his re-creation of "The Mikado," are rapidly breaking down any sentiment existing against the revival of comic opera successes of many years ago. In a polychrome display of oriental colors, "The Mikado" came back to Kansas City with the same pleasing, flashing, tuneful, colorful mixture that pleased playgoers of former generations. This elaborate revival has lost none of its former charm with the cast assembled by Mr. Dunbar and its music and costumes have charmed audiences in every city of the country. The musical background is well carried out and the minor parts have been given full attention. The opera carries its own orchestra under the leadership of Charles Berton, who was a member of the original company in London.

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To the First 25 Boys or Girls who provide the best drawings of Hans and Fritz, a prize of a seat to the Matinee Performance in the

Masonic Theater
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will be awarded.

All drawings in the contest must be mailed to the Albany-Decatur Daily before 6 o'clock Thursday evening, March 10th.
Everyone will send in a drawing, so get busy at once.



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